



## ALEXANDRIA.

FRIDAY EVENING, AUGUST 23.

## NEWS OF THE DAY.

"To show the very age and body of the times."

Thomas McCauley, arrested in King's county, New York, on a charge of being concerned in a series of burglaries at Coney Island and elsewhere, appears to have been a model burglar, (if a burglar at all,) of taste. He is a married man, and his residence has been fitted up with elegant furniture, paintings of great merit, a library of the works of the best authors, and his cellars contains the choicest wines and liquors, all reputed to be the result of daring midnight explorations.

The Commissioner of the General Land Office has received a letter from Hon. A. A. Denny, of Washington Territory, relative to the recent discovery of a coal mine about three miles from the Eastern shore of Lake Dwanish, a few miles east of the town of Seattle, in that Territory. The letter was accompanied by a specimen of the coal, the supply of which, it is stated, is inexhaustible. The discovery will, it is said, be of great importance to the North Pacific Railroad Company.

Senators Wade and Sherman made their first political speeches of the campaign on Wednesday. Wade claimed colored suffrage as the result of Republican principles, and Sherman declared that the National Bank system was a blessing to the country, and the failure to collect the whiskey tax was a blot on the prevailing method of taxation.

The work of reducing the working force and the expenses of the War Department is regularly progressing. The mustering out of volunteer officers whose services are no longer needed continues. It is stated that among those mustered out yesterday was included Brigadier General E. A. Hitchcock, Commissary General of Prisoners.

The Atlantic cable dispatches continue to produce reports in relation to the Salzburg Conference. It is asserted that a defensive alliance has been formed between Austria and France, and that one of the conditions to be insisted upon is that the South German States shall form a confederation under the domination of Austria.

The leading gamblers of New York recently held a private meeting for the purpose of taking measures to protect themselves against the Anti-Gambling Society. It was finally agreed, after some preliminary discussion, to tax each establishment one hundred dollars to raise a fund for the employment of lawyers and other purposes.

The recent order mustering out a number of volunteer surgeons, most of whom have been engaged in the Bureau of Freedmen and Abandoned Lands, has, with one exception, mustered all out of the service. It is probable that the few vacancies existing in the regular corps will soon be filled.

While on a visit to Lancaster on Tuesday, says a correspondent of the Evening Express, "I learned that Thaddeus Stevens is becoming more and more feeble every day. He had intended to visit Bedford this season, but was compelled to abandon the idea on account of ill health."

The lost Gulf cable was recovered on Sunday and the wires between Havana and Key West are now in perfect working order. Communications are passing between the two points, but the movements of the telegraphic party between Punta Roca and Key West were unknown.

The workmen on the Mobile and Ohio Railroad not having received their pay for eighteen months, are on a strike. They assembled at Jackson and stopped the trains, and a company of military were ordered to that point.

Gen. Sheridan has telegraphed to Washington that the yellow fever has become an epidemic in New Orleans, and that several of his officers are down with it. Yellow fever is also active at Point Compe, Louisiana.

The Radicals of Delaware have called meetings to elect delegates to the Border State Convention to be held in Baltimore next month. The object is to secure colored suffrage in the border States.

Western dispatches say the military authorities are arming all the citizens at Fort Sedgwick for protection of that post. Cholera is raging among the Seminole Indians. About twenty new cases appear daily.

On Wednesday night, a fire broke out in Plattsburg, New York, which destroyed, one church, a bank, and two printing offices, twenty-five residences, and twenty-five stores. Loss \$750,000.

New refrigerating cars are now bringing to New York the dressed carcasses of steers and sheep killed in Ohio, and the meat arrive in perfect order.

Reports from the Plains state that Fort Sedgwick and Reno were besieged by the Indians. The cholera is raging with great malignancy in and around Shawneetown, Ill.

Another death from yellow fever is reported in New York.

ADDRESS OF HENRY A. WISE.—A telegraphic dispatch from Richmond says: "Ex-Governor Wise delivered an address at the Washington and Henry Academy to-day. He said that we all now owed a natural allegiance to our country, and any oath to support its Constitution or oath of registration was a violation of that allegiance. There is now an effort to make the white freemen of the South subject to the domination of the black freedmen. Against this we must appeal to the white masses of the North, who will not permit the sacrifice of nature's laws to political prejudice. The whites of New England, the Middle States, and Europe must not keep out the South by black rule. This is the white man's land, and must be kept open to the white man. He said that to avoid the national dishonor of repudiation the interest on the national bonds must be reduced to four and a half per cent, that interest taxed, and the whole debt consolidated; then the rich would stop hoarding bonds. He urged his audience to renew their allegiance to their country, and never desert the Constitution; to preserve the purity of their race and blood, and labor unceasingly to live in peace and plenty."

SUMAC.—We are in the midst of the great Sumac harvest. By carts, wagons, and on the shoulders, it comes to market. A few years ago it was not a commercial article at any price. Then \$1 was paid; and last year as much as \$1.65 per hundred was paid. Now it may be quoted at from \$1.80 to \$1.85. We have heard some estimate that as much as \$80,000 would be paid out for it in this market, the present season, but we think the figures rather too high.—Fredericksburg Herald.

THE OYSTERING SEASON.—Within ten days the season for oystering commences. We observe unusually large preparations on the part of the large number of oystermen in this vicinity to prosecute the business on a larger scale than has characterized the business within the last few years.—Norfolk Journal.

## VIRGINIA NEWS.

A writer in the Loudoun Mirror makes the following suggestions for the improvement of the county of Loudoun:—"Let the county issue its bonds for \$200,000; let \$120,000 be invested in the preferred stock of the Alexandria, Loudoun and Hampshire Railroad, to be applied to the continuation of the road to or beyond Hillsborough, as far as the money will carry it. Apply \$10,000 to the two bridges across Goose Creek, at Keplart's, and on the Turnpike, and make them moderate toll bridges; apply \$10,000 for bridges at Ball's Mill and Carter's Mill, \$5,000 to Goose Creek Bridge near Philmont, and loan \$10,000 each to the bridges at Berlin and Point of Rocks, taking the tolls as security, and apply the remainder \$85,000 to the immediate repair of the County Roads."

The Esteline Furnace, a magnificent iron property, situated in Augusta county, 20 miles from Staunton, about 4 miles from the Va. C. R. R., at Pond Gap, containing 6,110 acres, (a small portion in Rockbridge county), was sold on the 17th, to several gentlemen of Alleghany county, Md., for the sum of \$35,000—one-half of which was paid in hand, and the remainder to be paid in 9 and 18 months with interest. The gentlemen who purchased this property will at once proceed to develop the rich purchase they have made.

Not long since a legacy of \$3,000 was left by Mrs. Brydon, of Petersburg, to St. Paul's Church of that city. Several of the legacies, this among the rest, were pronounced invalid. It was ordered by the Court that the residue, after the valid legacies were paid, should be handed over to her nephew, Mr. D. D. Tenant. This gentleman, on receiving the estate, sent his check for \$3,000 to the vestry of the church, thus carrying out, at his own cost, the provision of his aunt's will.

The Warrenton Sentinel says:—"The work of revising and erasing names from the books of registration closed in this district on Saturday last. The result shows that while the names of two whites and nine blacks were added to the old list, the names of fifty-one of our most influential and valuable citizens were stricken therefrom."

Some one on Thursday night broke into the office of Mr. Barry, clerk of the U. S. Court, in the Custom House in Richmond. His desk, which contains the indictments found by the grand jury during its recent session, was prized open. As yet no loss of papers has been discovered.

A colored man, in Richmond, who has been pardoned out of the penitentiary five times, and the last time about three weeks ago, has just been arrested again for stealing. It is thought he considers himself penitentiary proof.

In consequence of the bad conduct of many of the colored servants, women and girls, in Norfolk, the Journal of that city, recommends to send to the North and procure white females in their stead.

Last Thursday, for the first time, grain was shipped in bulk from Staunton to Baltimore, by an arrangement with the Baltimore & Ohio R. R. Company, at lower rates than heretofore.

W. A. Hopper, a well known tobacco manufacturer, in Richmond, was arrested yesterday, charged with counterfeiting the revenue inspector's brand.

Kanawha county yesterday subscribed two hundred and fifty thousand dollars to the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad.

A black man was arrested in Richmond on Wednesday, charged with incest. His daughter and his wife were his accusers.

## Affairs in Virginia.

RICHMOND, VA., August 20.—The stoppage of the rations issued to the destitute by the Freedmen's Bureau, and the withdrawal of the supplies under the Congressional appropriation fund, both of which go into effect to-day, will produce an unpleasant state of affairs throughout the country. General Schofield, in his order on this subject, directs the county and city civil authorities to take charge of and provide for such destitute and helpless persons as will be turned over to them by the Bureau. Here arises a conflict. The revolution occasioned by the emancipation caused numerous changes to be made in the location and residence of individuals, particularly the emancipated class. The laws of the State require provision to be made for the destitute and helpless residents, while the Bureau administered its charity irrespective of previous location, or of the color of antecedents of the parties.

The civil authorities may refuse to maintain persons who are non residents, and who cannot establish a claim upon them in this respect. The sufferers will then be sent to the places from which they came, where in turn the authorities may deny them sustenance, upon the plea that having emigrated to another section, they forfeited all claims on them, having their origin in nativity and residence.—Thus the destitute whites and colored people will experience an unpleasant transition from one harassed party to another, who wish to be rid of them in some way, which can only be settled by an order from General Schofield defining the term that constitutes a resident as in the law of voters.

The apportionment of representation which was hitherto based upon the tax-paying population will, under the new order of events, have to undergo a material change. Counties that before were only entitled to one member in the House of Delegates, and districts composed of two and three counties, that had only one Senator, will now have a large representation. As an instance, some of the counties that formerly polled a comparatively small vote, with the accession of colored voters, will probably be entitled to a larger representation than their neighbors who before excelled them in this respect. The new apportionment will of necessity be required in the Constitutional Convention, and General Schofield will be called upon to issue an order regulating this important matter. Such a military edict will doubtless appear in due time.

National Labor Congress. CHICAGO, August 21.—The National Labor Congress is still in session in this city, but has accomplished little or no actual business. Committees have been appointed on sending a delegate to Europe; on the subject of taxation of U. S. bonds and unutilized lands; on the disposition of the public domain; on sanitary measures; on the judiciary; on convict labor; and on political measures; but no reports have been made.

A motion was made by Mr. Kelbs to throw to the breeze a banner inscribed with the name of the "National Labor Reform Union of the U. S." His constituents in Pennsylvania had instructed him to work to this end in this Congress. Several gentlemen doubted the wisdom of taking a political step, and some expressed their astonishment at the attempt to induce such a step. The motion, sprung upon the Congress, has caused some excitement.

## GOLD.

NEW YORK, August 23.—Gold to-day, 140½.

## Whittling Down a Hotel—Mania for Relics.

[Alexandria (Va.) Cor. of St. Louis Democrat.] We stopped a colored individual and inquired the way to the place where Col. Ellsworth was killed, and were informed that the "Marshall House" was a square further on. There we found it, a three-story brick building, old and dilapidated, aristocratic enough, perhaps, for Virginia as it was, and entirely typical of the old civilization. At the entrance, sitting upon the wooden steps, was a tall, hard-looking white man in shirt sleeves, surrounded by three or four plain people like himself.—As an excuse for entering the house, we inquired the way to the "bar," and were directed by the first mentioned individual to pass through the office, turn to the left and go down stairs. As we left the office and passed into the hall, we at once recognized the scene of the murder, from the pictures we had seen in the pictorial weeklies at the time of the sad catastrophe. We found the tall individual in shirt sleeves to be A. H. Green, the proprietor of the hotel, who has been running the machine since the spring of 1862. Mr. Green kindly took us through the whole house, and showed us various evidences of the recent civil war. For a long time Mr. Green was excessively annoyed by visitors, nearly every one of whom wanted something or other to take away as a relic. He has had the stairway, bannisters, mouldings, washboards and flooring repaired throughout the house twice, on account of visitors whittling away the wood to carry off as relics of the place. Since the last repairing we were shown further evidences of this desire to secure some memorial. Many of the new bannister rails are whittled away to kite sticks, and about half the cornice and washboard have disappeared. Even the steps have been cut into, and in some places pieces of the plastering which is believed to have been rubbed by the shoulder of Ellsworth as he fell. Mr. Green told us he assures people that which they take away was recently placed there, and was never touched by Ellsworth, but it will not satisfy the capacity of the relic-seeker. In a short time, even at the present rate of whittling, the bannisters and rails will have to be renewed.

The flag-staff which Ellsworth ordered to be cut down is still kept in the house, but the flag was carried away by the Zouaves. The floor stained by Ellsworth's blood was cut away long ago, and that which took its place was disappeared so rapidly that the landlord had to be constantly on hand to prevent the complete disappearance of his house. In order to save his building, he told us that he took the remnants of old boards, cornice, rails, and bannisters, and cut them into small pieces, which he besmear with beef blood. Visitors were satisfied with this stuff as long as it lasted, and the new bannister rails are now a curious spectacle, suffering as they do from the attack of many knives. The room on the second floor, out of which Jackson stepped when he shot Ellsworth, who was descending from the third story, was also shown us, as was a door, now permanently closed, through which Jackson intended to escape if he had not been prevented by Sergeant Brownell. In this room also large pieces of plastering and wood have also been carried off. Of late there have not been so many visitors, and Mr. Green is in hopes that he will be left to enjoy whatever profit he can reap in keeping a first class livery hotel, without the constant intrusion of sight-seers and relic-hunters. We took the hint, and did not stay long, nor did we whittle away any portion of the stairway.

THE POLISH COLONY.—A month ago we were cheered with the intelligence that our deserving Polish friends were getting along comfortably. It is therefore with the more regret that we now chronicle the fact that the drought has destroyed all their fair anticipations, and that help from the U. S. has been blessed with the latter as well as the early rain, must be extended, or want will salute the households of those far away from "Fatherland," and without the power of helping themselves.

Their corn crop has been burnt up by their potatoes, on which they largely relied, have also been cut short by the protracted drought in their immediate vicinity. Wheat they had none, as they came to Spotsylvania too late to seed last year.

They subsisted last winter, and up to the present, on rations furnished from an outside source, but this too ceases the present month. Truly they are a distressed people, and their situation calls loudly for help from the philanthropist.—Fredericksburg Herald.

THROUGH TRAINS FROM WELDON TO AQUIA CREEK.—To-day will witness an era in railroad traveling in this section, as the passenger train from Aquia Creek will pass through Richmond and through Petersburg to Weldon, without the delay incident to a change of cars at these places. Time, inconvenience and trouble will be saved, though the advantages of the new arrangement have to be tested.—The President and Directors of the Petersburg Railroad Company propose having an excursion to Weldon to-day, in honor of the occasion of the first through train.—Petersburg Express.

The Washington Republican says:—"The rain throughout nearly the whole of Montgomery county, Md., yesterday and the day previous, was heavier than almost anywhere else, and the destruction to the crops, bridges and fences is truly disheartening. In fact, many of the farmers are nearly distracted by their losses in crops, &c."

BRICKS! BRICKS!! BRICKS!!! 300,000 BRICKS on hand and for sale, low cash, at E. FRANCIS'S BRICK KILN, upper end of Fairfax street, near the Canal.

Orders for all kinds of Brick Work promptly attended to, if left at the Brick Yard, or at my residence, 56, south St. Asaph street. au 2-4f

BIRD SEED. Just received 300 lbs. BIRD SEED, which I will retail at 15c per lb. AUGUSTUS WALL, 204, King st. aug 9-2m

W. M. F. PADGETT, SADDLE AND HARNESS MANUFACTURER, And Dealer in Trunks, Carpet Bags, &c., &c. No. 124, KING STREET, ALEXANDRIA, VA. je 13

RECEIVED, TO-DAY, FROM PARKINSON'S PHARMACY, Philadelphia, a five gallon demijohn of a most superb article of COLOGNE WATER, to which we specially invite the attention of the ladies. Sold in any quantities to suit purchasers, by J. C. MILBURN, Druggist, No. 145, King st. au 6

Refined Sugars. 50 lbs A. Circle A B Refined Sugars. 50 " Golden Syrup, received this day from schooner Alfred E. Smyr, from the Virginia Steam Sugar Refinery, Richmond. These Sugars are of very superior quality, and will be sold as low as they can be obtained in Baltimore. je 21 GEO. H. ROBINSON.

TEAS.—15 half chests and boxes Gunpowder, Imperial, Oolong, Black and fine unbleached Japan, just received and in store for sale by A. J. FLEMING, au 6

ENGLISH ISLAND MOLASSES.—Four hhds just received, in store and for sale by au 10 GWIN, BECKHAM & CO.

PEARL STARCH.—received to-day, and for sale low by au 10 J. C. MILBURN.

CHOICE TEAS, received and for sale by au 16 J. C. MILBURN.

## MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

ALEXANDRIA MARKET, August 23, 1867. FLOUR, Superfine.....\$ 9 00 @ 10 25 Extra.....10 00 @ 11 75 Family.....12 00 @ 13 50 WHEAT, White, prime.....2 00 @ 2 10 Good.....1 75 @ 1 85 Red, prime.....1 75 @ 1 85 CORN, White.....1 00 @ 1 05 Mixed.....1 00 @ 1 05 Yellow.....1 00 @ 1 05 OATS MEAL.....1 00 @ 1 01 COBBLERS' MEAL.....1 15 @ 1 22 RYE, Dried per bushel.....1 15 @ 1 22 Green per bushel.....1 25 @ 1 40 LISH POTATOES.....1 25 @ 1 40 SUGAR, Fair.....2 25 @ 2 40 SUGAR, No. 1.....2 25 @ 2 40 PLASTER, Lamp, delivered on the cars.....5 00 @ 6 00 Ground.....11 00 @ 12 00 SALT, Ground Alum.....2 20 @ 2 30 Liverpool fine.....3 10 @ 3 20 Turf, Island, from store.....60 @ 65 WOOL, Common Unwashed.....60 @ 65 Washed.....60 @ 65 Fleeced, washed.....60 @ 65 Merino, unwashed.....60 @ 65 Merino, washed.....60 @ 65 BUTTER, prime.....20 @ 22 Inferior to middling.....20 @ 22 EGGS.....14 @ 16 BACON, Hams, prime country.....15 @ 16 Sugar-cured.....20 @ 21 Sides.....15 @ 16 Shoulders.....12 @ 13 LARD, Suet.....1 50 @ 1 75 Navy.....2 00 @ 2 25 HAY, per ton, from the cars.....28 00 @ 30 00 WHISKY.....2 10 @ 2 30 PERUVIAN GUANO.....30 00 @ 35 00 COAL OIL, No. 1.....30 00 @ 35 00

REMARKS.—The market closes with a fair demand, but in consequence of the non arrival of the trains on Union street in time to procure samples, there were but few offerings on change this morning, and prices since yesterday have undergone no change. Flour is very quiet, and the tendency is rather to a decline. Wheat is in fair request, and choice white may be quoted at 240. There is comparatively little Corn on the market. Prime River white may be quoted at 105, and up country white and mixed at 102½. Rye is quiet and drooping. Oats in fair request. Bacon is less active, and prices tending down. Wood is in better request, and prices a shade firmer. Butter is in fair supply for prime, for which prices have advanced. Plaster is in limited supply, and prices have slightly advanced. Irish Potatoes in fair supply.

BALTIMORE MARKET, August 22.—The Flour market is quiet and somewhat firmer. Owing to the temporary suspension of operations at many of the mills, in consequence of the recent floods, the receipts of City Mills Flour have considerably fallen off, and many millers who have sold Flour, yet to be delivered, will be somewhat pushed to meet their contracts.—There is still considerable enquiry for shipment, and sales are being made, but on terms kept private.

Wheat continues to come forward slowly.—Prime and strictly choice lots are scarce, and prices to-day are fully 5c better. Small sales of strictly choice Georgia white were made to-day at 200, and a small lot of strictly choice Maryland white was reported at 200. Good to choice red sold at from 240 to 255. Lower grades were also better.

Corn is quiet, white is 2½ to 3c lower, but yellow, owing to the light receipts, is about 2c higher.

Oats continue quite active, but less firm. The bulk of the sales to-day were at prices ranging from 60 to 65c for good to prime, and 40 to 55c for common and inferior.

Receipts of Rye light—180 bushels only reported to-day. There is a good demand and prices are firm.

There is a little better feeling in the Wood market, and the demand has been slightly improved, but prices remain unchanged since our last writing. Quoted unwashed at 20c25. Bury unwashed 12c25c tub washed 7c20c common to half blood 2c30c; three-quarters to full do 14c30c per lb.

BALTIMORE CATTLE MARKET, August 22.—Red Cattle.—The offerings at the Sales during the past week amounted to 950 head, against 1000 last week. Prices to-day ranged as follows: Old Cows and Steers at \$1.50c, ordinary than Steers, Oxen and Cows \$2.00c; fair to good stock \$2.50c; fair quality \$2.00c; 65c and prime Cattle \$2.50c 3/4 per 100 lbs.—with a few extra Steers a shade higher. The offerings to-day were of much better quality than those of last week, and prices are better. The market opened very firm, but closed dull.

Sheep.—The supply was small this week, with but very few good and prime Sheep on the market, for which there is a good demand at advanced rates. Sales of fair to good fat Sheep at 10c per lb. gross, and stock \$2.00c per head. Lambs are selling at \$2.00c per head.

Hogs.—Supply large, and prices, though unchanged, are hard to maintain. Sales are made at \$9.75 to 10.50 per 100 lbs. net.

MARINE LIST. PORT OF ALEXANDRIA—AUGUST 23. ARRIVED. Schr. Charles A. Jones, Goodspeed, Boston, pilot M. Eldridge & Co. Schr. Grace Watson, Nickerson, Philadelphia, coast to R. J. Leithland. Schr. Morning Star, Nickerson, Philadelphia, coast to R. H. Gemeny.

SAILED. Steamer New York, Marshall, Philadelphia, by M. Eldridge & Co. Steamer John Gibson, Fuller, New York, by H. C. Winslip.

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A large number are located near railroads, or navigable streams; many are improved, and in a good state of cultivation.

We will show all the real estate that we offer for sale to parties desiring to purchase, or give any information that may be desired.

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In West Virginia and Missouri, we have a large amount of land for sale, from one to seventy dollars per acre.

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## DRY GOODS.

## NEW GOODS.

We are now receiving large additions to our stock, and name in part:—Boop Skirts, in 25 different styles and sizes. White and Colored Flannels. Heavy and Fine Canton Flannels. Kentucky Jeans and Korseys. Sateen and Virginia Cloths. New styles Calicoes—all prices. Bleached and Bro. Cottons. Pillow-case and Sheet Cottons. Heavy Drillings for sails and bagging, with a full assortment of Stockings, Gloves, Handkerchiefs, and all goods in our line, which were determined to sell at the lowest cash prices. ROBERT L. WOOD, au 29 New Store, Cor. King & Fairfax sts.

## MORE NEW GOODS.

We are now prepared to offer to wholesale and retail purchasers, great bargains in almost every description of DRY GOODS, CARPETS, LINENS, MATTINGS, OIL CLOTHS, &c., &c. We can only name in part:—

Linen and Cotton Sheetings, Pillow Linen, and Cottons, Counterpane, Doyles, Napkins, Towels, Toweling of every description; Table Damask, Bleached and Brown; Wine Cloths, Shirting Linens, Cottons, Handkerchiefs, and Brown, of every kind; Blue D. merino, Ticking, Checks, Gingham, and all kinds of Gloves, Hosiery and Notions.

A very large assortment of MOURNING GOODS, such as 3-4, 4-4 and 6-4 superior all wool Mouslins, Flannels, Byantines, Tammerines, Bonnets, Caps, Handkerchiefs, Table Cloth, Challies, Canton Cloth, Aprons, Laces, Mohairs, Silk Grandines, Berages, and Lame Vails; also, a fine line of English Crapes Veils, from \$4.50 to \$10.

We have also received another large supply of these elegant Black Gros Grain Silks, ranging from \$2.50 to \$7.50 per yard.

We have also splendid rich Black Gros Grain and Sempier Idem Silks in Blue, Green, Blue, Brown and other colors.

A full line of CAMBRICS and JACKONETS, both hard and soft finish; Nainsooks and Mulls, plain and barred; White Organzas 4-4 and 8-4 wide, some of them very fine; plain, barred and striped Swiss Mullins; white and colored Piques, Organs, Lawns, Percales, Plain Lawns, figured and plain.

We have a good assortment of Silk and Cloth Mantels, newest styles; also, Shawls and Lap Poles.

A very large stock of Cloths, Casimeres, and Linen Goods, for gents' wear; Casimeres, Cords, towels and Linens, suitable for boy's wear. Japanese Ties for gentlemen, a new article, and very fashionable. But we must forbear.—We can only add our stock is very complete, and at prices that cannot fail to please.

Our New York correspondents keep us constantly advised as to the state of the market, and it is not our purpose to hold any goods at prices above their market value.

We invite an examination of our stock. may 9-4f WITMER & SLAYMAKER.

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Paints mixed and glass cut to order. Particular attention paid to orders from the country. 187, KING STREET, au 27-4f corner Columbus, Alexandria.

BAKERS BITTERS FOR DYSPEPSIA. Sake Arnold's Bitters for the Stomach Complaint, Forrester's Juniper Tar for Coughs, Colds, &c., Butler's Pile Remedy, Helmholtz's Sarsaparilla for Purifying the Blood. These named Patent Medicines have all been well tried, and found to be very effective in curing all diseases to which they are applicable. These, together with Dr. Pinkney's Southern Hair Restorer, and many other very valuable preparations, have just been received and are for sale by au 14 WARFIELD & HALL.

TO THE PUBLIC. Having engaged the services of a first-class PINE CAKE, PIE, BREAD AND BUTTER BAKER, to be located at FAIRFAX C. H. AND FRUIT CAKE, OR ORNAMENTED, would respectfully solicit a call from the public before purchasing elsewhere. Pound, Fruit and Ornamented Cakes made to order. JAMES H. SIMPSON, au 4-4f No. 8, South Fairfax st.

PEACH BASKETS.—125 dozen Peach Baskets on hand and for arrival. J. P. BARTHOLOW, au 15-2w No. 25, King st., Alexandria, Va.

POTOMAC HERRING, in barrels and half barrels, in store and for sale by GWIN, BECKHAM & CO., 33, King street, au 10

TOBACCO AND LAGUYRA COFFEE.—5 butts bright pound Cane Sugar Tobacco, 5 bags Laguyra Coffee, just received and for sale by (jy 11) A. J. FLEMING.

NORTON'S PINEAPPLE AND CHOICE FACTORY CHEESE, received and for sale by HARRIE HOUGH, Cor. Pitt and Prince sts. au 12

FEED—Hay, Corn, Oats, Split Stuff, &c., &c. Groceries of all kinds in store and for sale low by GWIN, BECKHAM & CO., 33, King street, au 10

VIRGINIA, to wit:—In the County Court of Fairfax county, August 1867, Joseph Cooper vs. J. N. Forrester and others, chancery.

Mem.—The object of this suit is to attach and obtain a decree for the sale of a acre of poles of land at Fairfax C. H. with steam engines and machinery attached, the property of the defendant, Forrester, to pay plaintiff a sum of \$200, with interest from the 1st of September, 1856; also, the